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April 29, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Smithfield, Economic Growth Overlay District, Route 116 Utility Extension project in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Smithfield, located at 64 Farnum Pike, Smithfield, Rhode Island 02917.

This funding would be used for the initial phase of a utility extension project in Smithfield that would eventually provide municipal sewer and water to properties within the Town's designated growth center along George Washington Highway, Route 116. The proposed first leg of the utility extension includes extending an 8-inch water main and a 15-inch sewer main approximately 830-feet to George Washington Highway. This designated growth center is a 71-acre area that has not developed to its full potential due, in part, to a lack of basic infrastructure to support municipal sewers and water. This project would immediately benefit several existing several industrial, manufacturing, office, retail, hospitality, and mixed-use properties, while also allowing for future business and economic development within the designated growth center.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "D. N. Cicilline".

David N. Cicilline
Member of Congress